

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 11, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:56 and sets at 5:23. High water at 12:19 a. m.; 12:44 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight; minimum temperature about 26 degrees. Friday fair; light to moderate southwesterly winds.

THE MASONIC FAIR.

TWENTY-FIVE MEMBERS OF THE U. S. MARINE BAND VISIT THE FAIR.

Beautiful music, beautiful room, just to give the fair a boom; Crowded the Armory to its doors, People came in by the scores—But tonight's the night.

After the rain of yesterday which carried away the snow which remained the sun came out and in the evening sank behind the hill now known as "George Washington Park," and bade the city adieu. The air was crisp and the stars in the firmament shone in all their glory, welcoming to the city the visitors who were to entertain Alexandria's citizens. Long before this excellent band of musicians had reached Armory Hall numbers were seeking entrance and tastefully dressed maidens coming from every section could be seen with hearts light and gay in anticipation of a joyful evening. In this they were not disappointed.

Pleasure was king and ruled in might. At the Masonic fair on Wednesday night.

As was anticipated a large section of the U. S. Marine Band came to Alexandria on a special car and during the evening discoursed delightful music. Armory Hall was crowded and the lady solicitors were as busy as they could possibly be gathering in the shakels. It was a real treat to those who love good music to have been present last night, for it seldom happens that an organization like the one referred to above pays such a compliment to the people of Alexandria. The section was under the direction of Lieut. Stelmans. About 10 o'clock the fair committee entertained them at the Elkton with a tempting lunch. The noted organization of which those who favored the fair with their presence and music is a small part, is the most famous in the world and during its existence has traveled almost the entire country, giving concerts to the principal cities. The young ladies who are laboring nightily for the success of this midwinter entertainment display a great deal of patience on many occasions and meet with many different characters, but—

Of all the bores the worst one is That man who comes along And takes your time in telling you Just wherein you are wrong.

There is pleasure in going to the armory and witnessing the antics of different young men as they parade the room. Some of them used to go in the gallery to escape, but the committee got wise to this and now charge admission to this hiding place. There are others in order to shield themselves get a book and traverse the room with a young lady. These are the boys the workers should get after and make them yield up something, at least.

As stated in yesterday's Gazette Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Shibley and Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, of South Carolina, will be the guests of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, of Alexandria at the Masonic fair tonight. Their presence and the probability that each may make a brief address is expected to draw an unusually large crowd. These distinguished visitors will come to Alexandria on the private car "Mount Vernon" of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway, accompanied by a committee of prominent Masons of this city.

It is understood that the retired admiral will be asked to address the audience from the handsome upstair launch "George Washington." Those who anticipate attending the bazaar tonight will have to come early in order to secure standing room.

In addition to the distinguished visitors the fair will be favored with the presence of the Junior Order United American Mechanics and the Mandolin Club, which will add greatly to the pleasure and receipts of the evening.

The fair is a success from all points of view—it could not have been otherwise. Everyone acknowledges that fact, but as we view the finished product in its entirety, we would rather consider the reason for the beauty and harmony as to architectural design and happy color scheme. Those who have labored so faithfully for weeks and months to bring this fair to its culmination, have not worked in a haphazard manner, but have adhered to the well-known laws governing the beauty of any object, viz: the proper relation of one angle to another, the value of a curve in effecting an angle; the harmony of colors. The gentleman who designed and superintended the execution of the decoration of this beautiful hall is Mr. A. D. Montier. He is an artist to the manner born, and has offered his best efforts that we might enjoy this feast of beauty.

The liberal donation to the fair by the Chapin Sacks Velvet Cream Company enables the ladies of the Templar booth to serve this cream again tonight to their patrons.

Tomorrow will be Children's Day and the school children will attend the fair in the afternoon, as they did last Friday.

ALEXANDRIA AMUSEMENT CO.

The people of this city should congratulate themselves on having so many first-class places of amusement to visit day and night. None of them, however, surpasses the Alexandria Amusement Co. in the quality of entertainment furnished each night. The talking and silent pictures this week have been extraordinarily good, but those tonight will be better. Come and see them.

ACCUSED DISMISSED.

Harry Williams and James McCauley, two young Baltimoreans, were arrested between 12 and 1 o'clock last night by Special Officer Harlan for trespassing on Southern Railway cars. The accused were brought before Justice Catton this morning, who dismissed them, promising to leave the city immediately. This was the only case before the Police Court.

The cheapest is never the best, but we have the best Footwear sold in Alexandria. John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

PERSONAL.

Among the largest and most charming card parties of the winter was the one given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. George S. French at her home on Alfred street. Progressive eight-hand euchre was played and around the card tables, at the conclusion of the game, her guests enjoyed the always delightful hospitality of their hostess. The pretty prizes were awarded Mrs. J. Stewart Jamieson, Mrs. Gardner Bothe and Mrs. Thos. B. Cochran.

Messrs. George W. Mays, J. M. Dunbar, W. G. LeFlew and Vernon Slaughter left here today for Richmond, where they will attend the Sarin's banquet tonight.

Mr. T. A. Groves and family have removed to Washington where they will reside.

Miss Constance Boush and Miss Fannie Dixon from 4 to 6 o'clock yesterday evening delightfully entertained their friends at a reception at the home of the former, No. 219 north Washington street. The parlor and dining rooms were beautifully decorated, pink being the prevailing color. Misses Boush and Dixon were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Charles Wilcox and Mrs. H. C. Moses, of Washington; Miss Trubue, of Louisville; Mrs. Ottomar, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Moore, of Baltimore; Mrs. J. O. Smoot and Miss Mary E. Carlin. Assisting in the dining room were Misses Moore, Graham, Fawcett, Dent, Smoot and Armstrong. Mrs. A. D. Brookett presided at the punch bowl.

MR. CATON IN RICHMOND.

Colonel James R. Caton, member of the House from Alexandria and one of the most active figures in the last Legislature, is here as a delegate to the Good Roads Convention. He was at the Capitol this morning and called on many of his friends. Colonel Caton announced many months ago that he would be a candidate for the lieutenant governorship, and he said today that pretty soon he would begin active fight for the office. It is his purpose to make an active campaign and to visit many sections of the State. At one time it was thought that Colonel A. M. Bowma member of the House from Salem, would also run for the lieutenant governorship, but he has informed Colonel Caton that he has no idea of doing this. He says, however, that he will stand for re-election in the House.—[Richmond Journal.]

MUSICAL MARVEL.

The musical marvel of the present day can be seen at the Opera House this week. There is no doubt but that Leon Hussey is the best in his line that has ever visited this city. The way he performs creates a sensation in the audience. But this is only one of the many good features at this house. Miss Leah Abbott, in her song hit "I'll Be the Lemon if You'll Be the Squeezee," is a catchy singer and receives round after round of applause nightily and deserves it. Without speaking of each performer separately suffice it to say that they are all good. The pictures are also All Change of vaudeville and pictures to-night.

U. D. O.

The regular monthly meeting of the Seventeenth Virginia Chapter was held in Lee Camp Hall yesterday afternoon with a very large attendance. Much business was disposed of. It was decided to have an emerald tea and St. Patrick's Day entertainment on March 17th and committees were appointed to begin the necessary preparations and get the affair in good working order. A called meeting was ordered for Wednesday afternoon, February 17, at three o'clock, and all members are requested to attend as the committees will be ready to report at that meeting.

MORE THAN REPAID.

Those who attend the Elite Picture House will receive ten times the admission when they see the show tonight at the Elite Company. Last night was a great show, but tonight it will be better; there will be over 3,000 feet of the best pictures made—"I'm Mourning for the Loss of Chloe," "Scullian's Dream," "Deadly Plan," "Acrobatic Maid" and other subjects not advertised. Mr. Eddie Clark will sing new illustrated songs. If you are looking for the best show on earth for 5 cents you can see it nightily at the Elite. Its a family theatre.

WOMAN DROWNED.

Miss Louise Cox, thirty-two years old, was drowned yesterday morning by falling into Accotink run, Accotink, Fairfax county. Miss Cox, in crossing a small footbridge about a quarter of a mile from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Frank Nevitt, it is supposed, lost her balance, and fell into about six feet of water. It was late yesterday afternoon when the body was found. Miss Cox was a native of Charles county, Md. She had resided with her sister for several years past at Fairfax county.

MEETING AT BENNING.

The trustees of the Washington Jockey Club at a meeting on Tuesday decided to hold a spring race meeting at Benning. The meeting will follow the Pimlico races. Every precaution will be taken, it is declared, to prevent betting during the meeting.

THE SOUTHLAND.

The new steamer Southland of the Norfolk and Washington steamboat line did not leave Newport News yesterday morning for Washington, as had been announced. The steamer, it is now said, will not leave Newport News until next Monday morning.

The Red Cross Shoes for tender feet. The ladies who wear the Red Cross Shoes always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

Don't miss seeing Avaano, the Renowned Palmist, Armory Hall, February 1 to 12 inclusive.

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ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

As has been stated the Citizens' Memorial Association of Alexandria will celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln at R. R. Chapel M. E. Church, south Washington street, tomorrow night beginning at 8 o'clock. T. Montgomery Watson, of Alexandria and W. Calvin Chase, of Washington, will deliver the memorial addresses. Roberts Chapel M. E. Choir under the leadership of F. H. Lumpkins will furnish vocal and instrumental music. Courtesy Station will read the emancipation proclamation. Abel Douglass, Alexander Chestman, W. M. Hammons, and Thos. H. Brown will also take part. Frank Williams will be the marshal on this occasion, and William A. Carter, master of ceremonies.

TELEPHONE COMPANY OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Capital City Telephone Company was held in this city yesterday evening when the following directors and officers were elected: Directors, J. N. Thomas, Pittston, Pa.; E. R. Troxell, Pittston, Pa., and Chas. West, Allentown, Pa. Officers, J. N. Thomas, president; E. R. Troxell, vice president; Chas. West, treasurer, and F. F. Marbury, secretary.

CORPORATION COURT.

[Judge] L. C. Barley presiding. Mary G. Faulkner vs. Ivy Hill Cemetery Co.; suit for ownership of a lot; arguments on demurrer heard and case submitted.

Keep your feet dry. "Try a pair of the celebrated" Walk Over Shoes. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

See Moving Pictures at Armory Hall, feb 11 12

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

By reason of illness Miss Summers' school in Washington building was closed today.

Mr. Samuel Elliott sprained one of his ankles yesterday by falling from a wagon he had in charge.

At the fire drill of the children of Lee school this morning Peabody building was emptied in 2½ minutes.

Alva Aerle, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will give an oyster roast at the Randle Club Rooms, on Cameron street, next Monday night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Schreiner, mother of Mr. George Schreiner, of this city, and of the late Charles Schreiner, died in Baltimore on Tuesday.

Mr. Eli Dove, son of Mr. William F. Dove, died at his home, near Bailey's cross roads, yesterday evening. The deceased was 28 years old.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Harry M. Cross, of Fairfax Court House, and Bertha E. Hutchinson, of Centerville.

The Cowboys' Association, of Alexandria, have appointed the following committee on "Old Home Coming Week": Neal Carr, William Kettland and Chas. Entwistle.

The mild temperature of yesterday was followed last night by brisk northwesterly winds and cooler weather. The mercury was down to 36° this morning. The weather today has been clear and cold.

Mr. Lewis Cavillier, formerly of this city, but now a member of the New York legislature, yesterday asked the assembly ways and means committee of that body to fix a date for a hearing on his bill providing a legislative investigation of the Trinity corporation. The committee decided unanimously not to give Mr. Cavillier a hearing on any proposition affecting Trinity, on the ground that it is not a subject for legislative investigation.

Mr. Einstein once said that when ignorance is a blinder, it is a foolishness to say something. He had a great habit of knowing what he wanted to say, and never expressing it properly. The other day he told me that a bird-seed in the hand is worth a quarter-peck in a bushel, and wound up by remarking that a live man that is able to enjoy a meal of those delicious Auth Sauzages and Hams is worth a million dead ones with appendicitis. Sylvan Blondheim, The Auth Stand, City Market.

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LOST—\$5.00 Reward. A young setter 1008, black, white, and tan. Strayed from my place on Seminary Hill, Monday, February 8th. Return or send postal to EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD, Alexandria, Va. feb 11 31

NOTICE—ODD FELLOWS: All members of the order are requested to meet with Potomac Lodge No. 73, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Friday night, February 12, at 7:30 o'clock. Reception to Patriarch Militants at 8 o'clock and visit to Masonic Fair at 8:30. By order of Potomac Lodge.

W. HAMPTON YATES, Noble Grand.
WILLIAM A. CONWAY, Recording Sec. feb 11 31

For Sale.

6 Room Brick HOUSE at 14c lot; if sold new it can be brought at \$1,400. Quick if you want it. CORNER PROPERTY.—7 Room Frame HOUSE large lot, suitable for business—a snap—\$1,250. Easy terms. ROBT. ELIJOTT, Real Estate Agent, 127 South Royal street feb 11 31

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Notice.

This is to give notice that JOHN SUTTON JONES is no longer in my employment and is not authorized to collect or receipt bills or to transact any business for me. Customers are requested to present their books and receipts to my office, Room No. 1, Alexandria National Bank Building for examination. feb 11 w* S. H. BERMAN.

THE regular council of SEMINOLE TRIBE No. 35, I. O. B. M. will convene in their Council House, FRIDAY evening, the 11th inst, at 7:30 o'clock sharp. All members are urged to be present. Officers of importance. By order of Schem. feb 10 31 C. P. HEISLEY, C. of B.

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Virginia News.
Several men are in the Sherandoah Valley making inquiries for available horses for cavalry use.
W. N. Daniel Wood, aged 68 years, for years adjutant of the John Horse Struggle Camp, Confederate Veterans, died at Charlottesville, yesterday. He had a splendid record during the civil war.
About twenty students of the Richmond College recently went to a fellow student's room intending to haze him. The latter grabbed a pistol and shot at them through the door. There was no hazing that night.
Col. Walter Taylor, of Norfolk, whose recent book, "General Lee," is regarded highly by all students of the career of the great southern leader, indorses the position taken by President Adams, of the University of Virginia, in voting to award a prize to Miss Christine Boyan for her essay on Lee.
Col. George L. Peyton, aged 80 years, died at Stanton, yesterday, from blood poison. Colonel Peyton was one of the leading hotelmen of Virginia in his day and was proprietor of the Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for 16 years. He was one of 10 brothers, only one of whom survives.
Furnishes Wife with Epidermis.
Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 11.—A delicate grafting operation on Mrs. William Richards, of Scranton, was completed at the Hahnemann Hospital, here today. To cover wounds, caused by frightful burns, 140 square inches of skin were required, which the husband of the woman supplied.
Mrs. Richards had been burned about the arms and upper portions of the body. The skin was taken from Richards' thighs, back, and arms.

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